## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Small Entity) STES105 In Re Application Of: MICHAELSON, ET AL. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit | Confirmation No. Application No. 10050370 01/15/2002 CHORBAII 21658 1744 7535 Invention: DOUBLE HINGE FOR STERILIZATION APPARATUS COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of \_\_\_\_\_5/2/2007 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months 8/2/2007 until: 9/2/2007 from: Date Date Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 The fee for the extension of time is \$60 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. /ELIZABETH HERBST SCHIERMAN/ Dated: SEPTEMBER 4, 2007 Signature ELIZABETH HERBST SCHIERMAN DYKAS, SHAVER & NIPPER, LLP I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient PO BOX 877 postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the BOISE, IDAHO 83701 Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 208-345-1122 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on SEPTEMBER 4, 2007 (Date) /IIILIE L. O'TYSON/ Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

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